FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. H3105

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TO: The Honorable Phillip D. Owens, Chairman, House Education and Public Works

Committee

FROM: Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board

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SUBJECT: Passing a Stopped School Bus

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 3105 amends Section 56-5-2770 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, to provide that a driver must stop before reaching a school bus in a designated loading or unloading area when there are in operation on a school bus flashing red lights. The driver must not proceed until the bus resumes motion or the flashing red lights are not longer actuated.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The State Department of Education estimates this Bill will have no fiscal impact on the General Fund of the State or on Federal and/or Other funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

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None.

Approved by:

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